



August 5, 2011

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington DC 20554

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Communication
MM Docket No. 99-25; MB Docket No. 07-172; RM-11338

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On August 4, 2011, Jane Mago, Ann Bobeck, and the undersigned of the National Association of Broadcasters (NAB), with Jack Goodman of the Law Offices of Jack N. Goodman, met with Peter Doyle, Tom Hutton, James Bradshaw, Edna Prado, and Alex Sanjenis of the Media Bureau to discuss issues regarding the above-captioned Third Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (Notice).

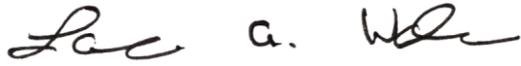
Specifically, NAB asked the Bureau for several clarifications regarding Appendix A to the Notice, which sets forth the results of the Commission's market-based analysis of the availability of channels for low power FM (LPFM) services, and indicates the Commission's proposed dismissal or processing of all pending FM translators for a particular market based on that analysis. We discussed the Commission's decision to center a thirty-minute latitude by thirty-minute longitude grid over the center-city coordinates of each market as a means to assess LPFM channel availability, and the impact of using such a grid on the proposed dispensation of pending FM translators located both inside and outside the grid. We also inquired about relevant next steps, including a future FM translator window. Finally, we expressed support for the proposed elimination of the limitation on the use of FM translators to rebroadcast the signals of local AM radio stations to translators with licenses or permits in effect as of May 1, 2009.

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Please direct any questions concerning this matter to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Law A. Walke". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "L" and a distinct "W".

Lawrence A. Walke

cc: Peter Doyle
Tom Hutton
James Bradshaw
Edna Prado
Alex Sanjenis